

House Resolution No. 295

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an extraordinary young Missouri citizen who has attained tremendous personal success through achievement in the Boy Scouts of America program; and

Whereas, Justin Lloyd Hedricks of Troop 31 in Warrensburg, Missouri, will receive the prestigious Eagle Scout Award during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held February 9, 2003, at the Northside Christian Church in Warrensburg; and

Whereas, Justin Hedricks earned the praise and respect of many for the enthusiasm and initiative he displayed in regard to his Eagle Project which involved a landscaping project at a city-owned lot in Warrensburg; and

Whereas, during his nine years in the Scouting program, Justin Hedricks earned an impressive twenty-seven merit badges, received the World Conservation Award, attained Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow, and participated in three Klondike Derbies, a High Adventure Trip to Camp Spanish Peaks in Colorado, and two years of summer camp at Camp Naish, one year at Camp Mack Morris in Tennessee, and one year at H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation; and

Whereas, Justin Hedricks has readily prepared himself for the challenges of the outside world through his important terms of service to his Troop as Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader, Instructor, Chaplain's Aide, and Quartermaster; and

Whereas, Justin Hedricks is an exceptional student at Warrensburg High School where he has lettered in Soccer, received two Art Show awards, and distinguished himself as a member of the National Junior Honor Society; and

Whereas, the son of Edward and Janet Hedricks, Justin Hedricks is an exceptional young man who will undoubtedly utilize the skills and knowledge he has acquired in Scouting to secure a place for himself in the world and become a successful, productive adult:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Justin Hedricks at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best as he continues to uphold the Scouting tradition with both honor and decorum; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Justin Lloyd Hedricks.

Offered by _____
Representative David Pearce
District No. 121

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 295, adopted February 5, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker